# BEARFACTS 1996 – 2006 Prince Edward , Virginia [51147]

Prince Edward is one of 105 counties in Virginia. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2006 population of 21,052 ranked 67th in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2006 Prince Edward had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$19,228. This PCPI ranked 105th in the state and was 49 percent of the state average, \$39,540, and 52 percent of the national average, \$36,714. The 2006 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.1 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 4.1 percent and the national change was 5.6 percent. In 1996 the PCPI of Prince Edward was \$14,177 and ranked 102nd in the state. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2006 Prince Edward had a total personal income (TPI) of \$404,789\*. This TPI ranked 78th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1996 the TPI of Prince Edward was \$270,138\* and ranked 75th in the state. The 2006 TPI reflected an increase of 5.3 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 5.3 percent and the national change was 6.7 percent. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.0 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Prince Edward. In 2006 net earnings accounted for 57.1 percent of TPI (compared with 58.2 in 1996); dividends, interest, and rent were 14.9 percent (compared with 19.0 in 1996); and personal current transfer receipts were 27.9 percent (compared with 22.8 in 1996). From 2005 to 2006 net earnings increased 3.9 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 3.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 9.5 percent. From 1996 to 2006 net earnings increased on average 3.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 1.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.2 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Prince Edward increased from \$310,794\* in 2005 to \$327,512\* in 2006, an increase of 5.4 percent. The 2005-2006 state change was 5.4 percent and the national change was 5.7 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1996 estimate of \$220,606\* to the 2006 estimate was 4.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.6 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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